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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 5, 2006, please find enclosed a second corrected Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventor.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.